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### PATENT APPLICATION

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#### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q67507

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Examiner: Dameron L. JONES

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METHOD OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF DRUGS WITH BINDING AFFINITY FOR

PLASMA PROTEIN AND PREPARATION TO BE USED IN THE METHOD

#### AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

For:

In response to the Office Action dated June 23, 2003, the period of response to which has been extended for two months by a concurrently filed Petition for Extension of Time and attached fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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